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SUBJECT: Flammable Fabrics Act Task Force

DATE OF CALL: June 27, 1997 TIME: 11:00 AM EDT

COMMISSION PARTICIPANTS: Patricia Fairall, CRM PAF

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SUMMARY OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION:

The Flammable Fabrics Act Task Force is developing a program which would help assure that garments sold in the U.S. are in compliance with the Standard for the Flammability of Clothing Textiles 16 CFR 1610.

Pat Fairall agreed to do the minutes of the meetings and forward drafts to Main Task Group members for review prior to placing in the CPSC Office of the Secretary.

The group discussed the possibility of limiting some of the "publicity" of a "good guy list". It was agreed that we would review this issue again when we have the program more fully developed.

We then discussed the possibility of a 3rd Party certification program and other types of lab certification programs.

We discussed the scope of fabrics and what is included in the "suspect" category. Ron Pacheco agreed to come up with a list of "common" names used for some of the suspect fabrics. This will assist non-technical persons in determining whether a fabric falls within the category or not.

There was also discussion regarding a representative of the U.S. Association of Importers of Textiles and Apparel being a member of the Main Task Group. The name of Julia Hughes was provided.

The next scheduled conference call with the main task group is: Thursday July 10th at 10:00am EDT.